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SUBJECT: CODEL WOLFF VISIT TO JAPAN, JANUARY 3-4

REF: A. SINGAPORE 0185; B. TOKYO 0164

1. PER REQUEST REF A, FOLLOWING IS EMBASSY REPORT ON CODEL
WOLFF ACTIVITIES IN JAPAN, JANUARY 3-4:

-- CODEL UNDER LEADERSHIP OF CHAIRMAN WOLFF MET WITH
AMBASSADOR AND SENIOR EMBASSY STAFF MORNING OF JANUARY
4 FOR BRIEFING AND DISCUSSION OF OVERALL US-JAPAN
RELATIONSHIP. PER CODEL REQUEST, COPY OF AMBASSADOR'S
REMARKS BEING POUCHED COMMITTEE IN WASHINGTON.

--FOLLOWING EMBASSY MEETINGS, CODEL MET WITH FOREIGN OFFICE
ASIAN AFFAIRS DEPUTY DIRECTOR GENERAL NISHIYAMA WHO
OUTLINED JAPANESE FOREIGN POLICY TOWARDS SE ASIA IN
AFTERMATH OF PM FUKUDA'S ASEAN VISIT OF LAST AUGUST.
CODEL REAFFIRMED TO NISHIYAMA IMPORTANCE US ATTACHED TO
ASIAN REGION.

--AFTER LUNCH HOSTED BY MINISTER FOR EXTERNAL
ECONOMIC AFFAIRS USHIBA, CODEL HAD WIDE-RANGING
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DISCUSSION WITH USHIBA AND SENIOR FOREIGN OFFICE
OFFICIALS ON CURRENT US-JAPAN TRADE NEGOTIATIONS.
IN SESSION WITH USHIBA, CHAIRMAN WOLFF EMPHASIZED
NOT ONLY IMPORTANCE OF INCREASED BILATERAL
COOPERATION IN MANAGING TRADE FRICTIONS, BUT ALSO
DESIRABILITY OF GOJ ASSUMING GREATER SHARE OF COST
OF SUPPORTING US FORCES BASED IN JAPAN, PARTICULARLY

IN PRESENT PERIOD OF MASSIVE TRADE SURPLUS WITH
US.

2. REF B, BEING REPEATED TO CODEL, DESCRIBED MEDIA
COVERAGE OF CODEL WOLFF'S PRE-DEPARTURE PRESS STATEMENTS.
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